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Re: Applicant(s): Foster, Robert A.  
Assignee: Financial Systems Technology Pty Ltd.  
Title: System and Method for Real Time Pricing With Volume Discounting  
Application No.: 09/785,783 Filed: February 16, 2001  
Examiner: A. Fischer Group Art: 3627  
Docket No.: M-9381 US

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page in duplicate); and
- (3) Amendment (17 pages).

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## CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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| Independent<br>Claims    | 3   | Minus | 3                                     | = | 0                | x \$86.00 | \$ 0.00        |
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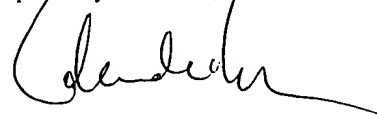
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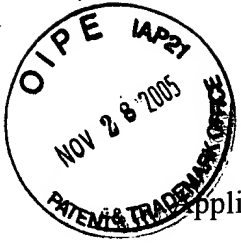
  
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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

This submission responds to the Office Action mailed by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on August 24, 2005. Please amend the above-referenced patent application as follows: